

IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS  
FOR THE SIXTH CIRCUIT

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

*Plaintiff-Appellant*

v.

DTE ENERGY, *et al.*

*Defendant-Appellees.*

No. 11-2328

**MOTION TO SUBSTITUTE COUNSEL**

The United States as Appellant moves to substitute Thomas A. Benson as lead counsel in this matter. I have previously filed a notice of appearance in this appeal. Original lead counsel Sambhav N. Sankar will no longer serve as counsel for the United States in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Pursuant to Rule 25 of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure, I hereby certify that, on this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2012, I caused the foregoing motion to be electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court for the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit through the Court's CM/ECF system. All registered users will be served by the Court's CM/ECF system.

/s/ Thomas A. Benson  
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